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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG. ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

DINANCES, 1865 TO 1886, AND IN THE MATTER OF THE HONGKONG MARINA, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, That a Petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Supreme Court was on the 2nd day of December, 1890, presented to or filed in the said Court by The Hongkong Trading Company, Limited. Creditors of the said Company, and that the said Petition amended by special leave of the said Court is directed to be heard before His Lordship the Chief Justice, Sir James Russell, C.M.G., on MONDAY, the 9th day of MARCE, 1891, at 11 c'closk in the forencon And any Creditor or Contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Ordinances should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counse. for that purpose; and a copy of the amended Petition will be furnished to any Creditor or Contributory of the said Company requiring the same, by the Undersigned on Payment of the regulated charge for the same. HOLMES & RODYK,

Solicitors for the Petitioners. Hongkong, 20th February, 1891 BEKANNTMACHUNG.

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Doors will be open as usual at 8.30 p.m. Performance to commence at 9 o'clock p.m. Tickets, \$2 each. Back Seats, \$1. Boldiers and Sailors in uniform, 50 Cents.

SPECIAL TRAM-CARS will run as follows:-Saturday, 21st February | and { performance

ROBERT LYALL, Hon: Secretary. Hongkong, 16th February, 1891.

THEATRE ROYAL CITY HALL. MONDAY 23rd FEBRUABY, 1891.

NAREWELL BENEFIT will be tendered to Mr. CHAS. HARDING (prior to his departure for Europe) BY THE FOLLOWING LADY 'AND' GENTLEMEN AMATEU.

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> L. GLENAT. Acting Agent. Hongkong, 17th February, 1891,

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB. RACE MEETING 1891. TO DAY, THE 21ST FEBRUARY.

TOULE 15,-Admission to the GRAND STAND and ENCLOSURE. For Members of the JOCKEY CLUB, Free; for Non-Mambers, \$5 for the Meeting. For Admission to New Grand Stand, \$3 for the Meeting. RULE 16.—Tickets of Admission to the Grand Stand and Enclosure to be had on application to E. W. RUTTER, Esq., Honorary Treasurer. No one admitted without a Ticket, to be shewn

to-the Gatekeeper. E. H. GORE BOOTH Clerk of the Course: Hongkong, 14th February, 1891.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB. 'HE STEWARDS request the pleasure of the presence of the LADIES at the GRAND STAND and ENCLOSURE during the Races on the 21st instant. E. H. GORE-BOOTH. Clerk of the Course.

Hongkong, 13th February, 1891. HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB. TO SERVANTS will be allowed inside the enclosure of the RACECOURSE during the

Race Days without Tickets, which can be had. on application from the Undersigned. E. H. GORE-BOOTH, Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, 13th February,-1891. HONGKONG RACE MEETING: 1891

TIFFIN will be Served in the HONGKONG HOTEL CO.'S TIFFIN ROOM on the COURSE after the Third Race on Saturday of TERMS CABH.

R. TUCKER, Manager. Hongkong, 17th February, 1891.

HONGKONG RACES. -FALCONER & CO. have received per English Mail a Handsome Assortment of

LONDON MADE SILVER RACE CUPS Hongkong, 18th February, 1891: IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

HONGKONG. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THE LATE ALFRED LISTER, DECEMBED

1493 of Section 3 of Ordinance 9 of 1870, made an order limiting to the let day of March, 1891

the time for sending in Claims against the said All Creditors are bereby required to send in their Claims to the Undersigned before the said

Dated 28th January, 1891. BRUCE SHEPHERD, Executor.

Hongkong, 20th February, 1891. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF NG KWAN alias NG LUK CHIN. DECEASED.

I OTICE is hereby given, That the Honoursble the Clief Justice having, in 8.30 (la mins. after virtue of Section 3 of Ordinance 9 of 1870, made an Order limiting to the 18th MARCH. 8.45 (of Gondoliers. 1891, the time for sending in Claims against the said Estate. All Creditors are hereby required to send in

1239 their Claims to the Undersigned before the said Dated the 18th February, 1891. EDW. J. ACKROYD.

Hongkong, 19th February, 1891. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

NATION OF THE ESTA'R OF THOMA ROBERT MCBEAN, DECEASED.

NOTICE is hereby given. That the Honour-able the Chief Justice baving, in virtue of Section 3 of Ordinance 9 of 1870, made an Order limiting to the 18th MARCH, 1891, the time for sending in Claims against the Estate. All Creditors are hereby required to send in

their Claims to the Undersigned before the said date. Dated this 18th February, 1891. EDW. J. ACKROYD. - Registrar. Hongkong, 19th February, 1891.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG. SUMMARY JURISDICTION. FOREIGN ATTACHMENT.

SUIT No. 231 or 1891. PLAINTIFF-8Z TO PAT. ANOTHER.

FOREIGN ATTACHMENT return- 16 not being Members of the Club to pay an above-named Defendants within the Colony has 2, 6, 12, 15, and 16, are Open only to those 359 been issued in this Fuit pursuant to the Pro- Goutlemen Amateurs who are Members of the visions of Section LXXXII. of "The Hong- Hongbong Athletic Club. Dated the 19th day of February, 1891. WOTTON & DEACON. Solicitors for the Plaintiff

35, Queen's Road, Hongkong. 344 . Hougkong, 20th February, 1891.

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HONGKONG, No. 1026. REGULAR MEETING of the above Lodge will be held in the FREEMASONS'

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on SATURDAY next, the 21st instant, is POSTPONED until further notice. .C. VIVIAN LAUDS, Hon, Secretary. Hongkong, 18th February, 1891.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. TNFORMATION has been received from the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that ARTILLERY PRACTICE will take place Bridles, Spura Girths, etc. from the BATTERIES at STONE CUTTERS' ISLAND, from the 27th instant to 20th FEBRUARY next, both days inclusive, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 5 P.M. daily. The line of fire will be in a South-Westerly direction from the Batteries. All Ships, Junks and other Vessels are cantioned to keep clear of the range.

By Command, F. FLENING. Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office.

T is hereby notified for General Information that on and after SATURDAY, the 21st instant, until further notice, the WATER SUPPLY throughout the Cery, with the exception of PRAYA CENTRAL PRAYA WEST, and QUEEN'S ROAD EAST as far as SPRING GAR-DENS, will be cut off between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. each day.

Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office. Hongkong, 19th February, 1891.



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DEPARTURES. Feb. 20, ALWINE, German str., for Hollow. Feb. 20, FORMOSA, British str., for Swatow. Feb. 20, CHEANG HENTREG, British str., for Feb. 20, Michael Jessen, German str., fo

Fab. 20, SARPEDON, British str., for London. Feb. 20, TAL YICK, German str., for Saigon. Feb. 20. VERONA, British str., for Yokohama. Feb. 20, FALKENBURG, German str., for Saigon.

Per Namkiang, str., from Singapore.-147 Per Haitan, str., from East Const. - Mr. Weng Per Taiman, str., from Kobs. -- Capt. McCay,

Fob., had strong monsoon with heavy sess and overcast weather throughout. The British steamer Fooksang, from Shanghai 16th Feb., and Swatow 19th, bud fresh monsoon

The British steamor Cheany Hock Kinn, from Saigon 12th Feb., had strong monsoons with hick rainy weather and high sea all the way. The British steamer Namklang, from Singapore 8th Feb , had strong N.E. wind to moderate gale with high sea throughout the passage

The British steamer Colonist from Penarth

th Jan., experienced moderate breeze and the

weather to Port Said. Loft Port Said Sunday, 8 p.m. 18th Jan . experienced very heavy mousoons and head sea along the coast.

to strong winds and very high N.B. ses with dull cloudy weather. The British steamer Haitan, from Foodhow 17th Feb., Amoy 18th, and Swatow 12th, had fresh N.E. gale and high sea throughout to: Amoy. From Amoy to Swatow Strong N.E. wind and high sea throughout. From Swatow to port moderate N.E. to E. wind and overcast weather. In Foodbow H.M.S. Redpole. In

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HONGKONG, FEBRUARY 21st, 1891.

The last performance of "The Gondoliers" by the Choral Society takes place this evening. H.M. gunbout Redpole (Lieut. Commander Freeman) arrived here from Foodhow yesterday.

Mr. Sid's Susewind, 11st. 11b. (Mr. Maolean) The Agents (Mesers, Adamson, Ball & Co.) Mr. Boyd's Duncraggan, Hat. 5lbs. (Mr. Boyd) inform us that the C. P. steamer Parthia Mr. Sebrof's Coquette, 11st. 4lbs...... left Vancouver on Wednesday morning, the 18th inst., for Japan and China. would start he immediately became a hot fav

The Agents (Mesers, Russell & Co.) inform us that the E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Menmuir left Port Darwin for this port on Thursday and may be expected to arrive on the 28th inst.

The charge against Mr. Kennedy of negl oting to have his child vaccinated has been dismissed, a satisfactory explanation of the circum- some three or four lengths behind. At the bend stances having been received from Dr. Cantlie. Home Guard began gradually to decrease the

serial tale. The name of the gifted authoress- from this point past the Village and into the Miss Dora Russell—is a sufficient guarantee straight. When within fifty yards of the winthat it is well written. The story is entitled | ning post Home Guard's jockey, feeling a little - A Fatal Past." To-morrow morning, between 9 and 10.30 o'clock, the steam launch Da, spring, carrying snatching the race on the post, Home Guard

the Bethel flag, will call alongside any vessel only landing a winner by a very short neck. hoisting code pennant C., to convey men ashore | Time 2 mins. 401 sees. to Il a.m. service at St. Peter's (Seamen's) The PARSER CUP; presented by the Parses Church returning about 12.30. We hear that a silk flag and address will be presented to Captain Ashton, President of the British Mercantile Marine Officers' Association. at a meeting of the society which is to be held at College Chambers to-night. Other matters.

of interest, including the official report of the capture of Namoa pirates, will be brought before the meeting. All British shipmasters and officers are invited to attend.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. [SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS."]

LONDON, 18th February. MR. MORLEY'S VOTE OF CENSURE Mr. Awa's Phonix, 10st. 12ths. (Mr. Green) 0 REJECTED. Mr. John Morley's vote of consure has been

rejected by a majority of seventy five. THE SILVER QUESTION. Large sales of silver have been made in New York. There is a strong conviction that no regislation will take place during the present PROBLEM BERGERS HILPER

"HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB RACE . MEETING, 1891.

Appended are the details of the day's races :-

The Scurry Stakes, sweepstakes of \$5 each, with \$100 added, second pony to receive \$50;

Mr. Ess' Starlight, 11st, 11b ... (Mr. Maclian)

(Mr. Reynell)

(Mr. Hough)

Mr. Buxev's Crown Diamond list 41bs

Mr. Joe's Flight, 10st 12lbs... (Mr. Bampson)

Mr. Awa's Phonix 10st. 12lbs...(Mr. Green) Mr. John Peel's Ardent, 11st, 71bs

Mr. John Peel's Hilarity, 11st. Ilh

fourth, the rest pretty well togother, and Ardent

liquigh then shook Ardent up, and taking the

slope in fine style he came right through the

crowd and joined Starlight. Past the Village

and into the straight Crown Diamond, Star-

light, and Ardent raced well together, but the

paceup the incline seemed to have told on Ardent,

who quickly fell to the rent. Starlight then

came away and won rather easily. Crown

Dismond second, Flight a good third, and

Mr. Sassoou's Zephyr, 11st. 4lbs. ... (Owner)

Mr. Buxey's Arabic, 10st. 12lbs. (Mr. Reynell)

Mr. Buxey's Royalty, List. 11b,...(Mr. Poud) 3

Arabic came along and setting a rattling osc

the first time on passing the Rock was in

ing by about two lengths; Cobweb being next,

Royalty and Zephyr third, and Mr. Peel's pair

time round was completed. Arabic when passing

half a degan lengths. On turning the bend

Arabic had still an onormous lead, while Zephy:

and Reyalty had taken second place, the first

named having a little the advantage. As the

turned into the straight Arabic had still a good

bit in hand, but coming up the straight Sassoon

let Zephyr out and he quickly overtook Arabic.

and cantered in an easy winner. Royalty a good

the best made in Hougkong for the distance.

The GERMAN CUP, presented by members

Mr. John Peal's Comtit, 10st. 71bs.

money. One mile and a quarter.

Mr. John Poel's Blue Bonnet, 1 st. 11b.

Mr. Fraser Smith's Glencoe, 10st. 13lbs.

Mr. MacLin's High Jinks, 10st. 12lbs. ...

Mr. Darius' Mercury, 10st. 12lbs. (Mr. Pond)

Mr. Twain's Toison d'Or, Ilat. 12lbs.

Mr. Jones' Yagyffarnog 10st, 12ths ...

At the start Hautboy led, Pathender following

plosely on his heels. When nearing the Rock

Village and appeared almost a certainty. When

turning into the straight, however, a rather differ

in thelast 800 yards, I'omtit, who was hardly sup-

posed to be equal to a place, assumed the lead

and came in in a canter, carrying off the Cup.

The PROPESSIONAL CUP, presented, for all

Chius ponies; weight for inches; winners of

one race at this meeting, 7 lbs. extra; of two

races, 10 ibs. extra; and of three races, 15 lbs.

extra: previous una starters to carry list:

entrance \$10; second pony to receive 50 per

cent. of entrage money; third pony 25 per

As soon as it was known that Home Guard

ourite, it hardly being thought that Susewind.

would get much chance against him. At the

start. Maolean went off with his usual flying

start, and on passing the box for the first time

was lending by about three lengths, Duncraggan

and Home Guard being next and Coquette

community; for China ponies, being bona fide

griffine at date of entry; weight for inches;)

extra; of two races, 12lbs. extra; subscription

griffins of this season; non-winners allowed 5

Mr Ess' Starlight, 11st. 8lbs. (Mr. Maclean) 2

Mr. Joe's Flight, 10st. 12lbs. Mr. Master 0

vagaries of Crown Diamond, the field were got

away. Crown Diamond at once took the lead.

closely followed by Starlight, with Kubla Khan

and the rest, with the exception of Flight, who

was rather shut out at the finish, wall up. On

going up the incline to the Bluck Book, rown

Diamond had still the lead, Starlight was second,

Kubin Khan third, with Plight besting well up

(Mr. Reynell) 3

(Mr. Sampson)

lbs; entrance \$5. Seven furlengs.

Mr. John Peel's Merry Thought, 11st, 41bs.

Mr. Buxey's Crewn Diamond, 11st. 4lbs

Mr. Heinrich's Kubla Khan, 10st 11b

Mr. Sassoon's Austorlits, 11st, 11b. (Owner)

Mr. Coll's Chimera, 10st. 9lbs. (Mr. Nichol)

length. Time, 2 mins 47 secs...

cent One mile and a quarter.

Mr. Buzey's Home Guard, Ust. 1th

Blue Bonnet, and Glencos made an excellent

Mr. Peel's stable began to show to the front.

Capt. Gardiner's 's ander, list. 11b

Mr. Sassoon's Hautboy, 10st 12lbs.

the German Club, for subscription griffins of

this season, 1890-91, only; weight for inches;

entrance:\$10; second pony to receive 75 per

cent.; third pony 25 per cent. of entrance

third. The time, 3 min. 501 sees., is, we believe.

the Grand-Stand for the first time leading b

Mr. Hough,

(Mr. Master)

(Mr. Maclesa)

(Mr. Roynell)

(Mr. Cruickshank)

(Mr. Hart Buck)

(Mr. Orlebarr

(Mr. Sampion)

(Mr. Hatchings)

(Mr. Pond)

(Fr. Hart Buck)

of r. Macle sudrew)

Mr. Yoma's Cobweb, 11st. 11b. ... (Mr. Boyd)

Mr. John Feel's Vagrant, list. Sibs

Phoenix fourth. Time, 2 mins 9 secs.

ting mile and three quarters.

Mr. Argyll's Vampire, 11st. 1.

for the Village, Merry Thought put on the pace, and passing the others came with a rattling SECOND DAY, 20th February. The second day's racing was, contrary to cus- stride on even terms with Crown Diamond, tom, rather more interesting than the opening before turning into the straight. From bore home he led easily, winning by about three day. The attendance was, if anything, rather lengths. Crown Diamond and Starlight made larger than on the first day, while the wins were a good race for second place, Mr. Buxey's pony far more evenly divided. The more equal division taking it by about half a length. Time, I min. of honours added an interest to the meeting that 52 sees. on this occasion came to the fore with three wins. Mr. John Peel's stable was hardly so successful as on the provious day, securing two first places only, while Mesara, Sassoon, Ess and Fraser

was wanting on the first day Mr. Burey's stable The Jockey Cur; for subscription ponies of this and last season, winners excluded; to be -ridden-by-jockeys who have never had a winning mount previous to this meeting in Hongkong or China; weight for inches; antrance. \$5. Que mile Mr. A. W. Maitland's Bolero, 10st. 9|ba Smith had one each. Surprises were on the whole

less frequent than on the opening day. The Major Hannay's Jujube, 10st. 12lbs. (Owner) biggest upset was on the German Cup, in which Mr. Coll's Kwizefishn't, 11st, 41bs (Mr. Cruickshank) Tomtit unexpectedly_landed a winner. This Mr. Jay's Laufer, 1 st. 12lbs...... was perhaps the biggest surprise of the meeting. Mr. Frasor Smith's Mak Sicear, 114t, 4 ba ... the dividend in the totalizator, \$200, showing pratty well in wasse estimation the winner was Mr. Barker's Clarewood, 11st. 4lbs. (Owner) Mr. John Poe.'s Quickstep, 11st. 11b

(Mr. Gresson)

ever rather too much for him, and after passing

Mr. John Peal's Total Loss, 11st. 71bs..... Starlight started a strong favourite, although fishn't being third Time 2 mins. 132 sees. Ardent found many backers. The field got

time the favourite had the lead, closely followed in the balance to the last moment, when Jujuba by Crown Dismond, Flight third. Vampire want ahead, winning by a very short-nec & The FLYAWAY STAKES; for all Ohina poniest

> \$50. Three quarters of a mile. Mr. Buzey's Skipjack, 10st. 12lbs. Mr. Sassoon's Unicorn, 11st, 11b (Owner) Mr. John Peel's Opposition, 11st. 51b Mr. Sid's Waldo, list, lib. ... (Mr Sampson) -0 togother up hill until they arrived at the Water-Mr. Frasor Smith's Chaser, 11st: 4ths. ... Mr. Yoma's Nero, list. 11b.......(Mr. Boyd) 0 above the upland, plain, and from the summit At the fall of the flag Skipjack keek the lead, one can see many miles of the fertile rice and

The EXCHANGE PLATE, presented by bankers and exchange brokers of Hongkong; for China closely followed by Chaser, the others being close wheat lands. It is a famous place for lovers, ponies; winners of Foodbox or Hongkong together with the exception of Opposition, who who from time to time go up there, for there are was well at the tail. When nearing the Rock bushes to hide behind, overne to conceal oneself Ulub Cup, 5lbs. extes; entrance \$10; second pony to receive half of the entrance monoy. Waldo gradually same up to second place, clo-a- in, and behind the rocks were scaled the young orden named. Walde, who was going well on about nothing. They were bonding over a little fragments when near the earth. The phonomenearing the Village, allowed Unicorn and Op- babbling stream, their heads coming into closer position to get on even terms with him on com- proximity, antil in the end with a sudden move- appeared to have a circumference of some four ing up the straight. From this point Skipjack nent "their spirits methed together in the meet. inches. increased his lead and son easily by about four ing of the lips"! After that as any person of the lengths. Unlearn and Opposition when about slightest experience in such matters will readily fifty yards from the post passed Walde and ballave, they found it was time to join the party finished second and third respectively. Time from which they were separated. Bertha A capital start was made. Cobweb took the bi 1 min. 33 sees. load and kept it for about fifty yards, when

ponies; weight for inches; previous winners gives a pathes to happiness, but Mr. Crafton around. at this meeting, 7 lbs. extra; subscription | thought that he possessed one virtue over many entrance S5; second pony to receive half entrance money. One mile and a half. Mr. Buxay's Reciprocation, 10st. 10lbs. (Mr. Raynell) fr. Chantrey's Autocrat, 11st, 4lbs

(Mr. Master)

Mr. Ten Broock's Wild Mint, 10st. 6lbs Mr. Mael an) Mr. John Peel's Orchid, 11st. 11b...... (Mr. Hough) Mr. Trust's Haphazard, Hat 11b (Mr. Nichol) ciprocation came well up on Wild Mint. On incorpredy to speak the Fonehow dislocks. "Fate steamer during the next spring tides.

passed Wild Mint, who though hard pressed word on the subject, for their attach edit goes without saying that we shall in the fuiled to regain the lost ground and allowed ment was as yet so undefined and so recent. course of events become fluked with the lines of Autograt to take second place with a length to but they could think fully over the prophecy our neighbours, and then the suicidal policy of the good. Time, 3 and, 19 sect. The WELTER PLATE, for all ponies; weight were in. Bertha thought that either her or Mr. evidenced. Instead of the Slamese rolling-

ur. Fraser Smith's Enchanter, 12st. 6b Mr. Maclean) Mr. John Peel's Merry Xmas, 1 ist. Olb (Mr. Hourh) Ar. Nantai's Blue Ruio, 12st. 01b. Mr. Jones's Lilygeddan, 12st, 91b. (Mr. Orlebar) Mr. A. W. Muldand's Salaster, 12st 01b. (Mr. Rynall) Mr. Argyll's Vampire, 12st. Olb. ...

Major Hangay) The pick of this stable was leading round the Mr. Buxey's Grayling, 12st. Olb. (Mr. Pond) Mr. Ten Broeck's Black Silk, 12st, 'Olb. ont complexion of affairs was evidenced. With | Mr. Twain's Ascold, 12st. 01b. (Mr. Collingwood)

Mr. Awa's Phoenix 13st olb. (Mr. Green) 0 dull merino curtains; backs on three sides of the foreign loan. The programme for to-day is as follows :-

One mile and three quarters.

winners not subscription griffins, 71b . extra ; entrance \$5. Seven furlougs.

mile and a half. twice round and in.

previous winners at this meeting, 71b. extra ; come to say good bye." receive \$50....Once round.

with \$100 added. One mile and a half subscription griffing of this season, 1890.91; on the piano stool and sings the old song entrance 85, with \$100 added for the first gony, and \$50 for the second nony; weight! for inches. Half-semile.

The following are the tips for to day's races:and promising for a place. The lead was how-The Civil SERVICE OUP-Glenope or Merthe Book he fell away. On turning the bond

The CHALLENGE CUP-Zephyr. The NAVY Cur-Walde. The LADIES' PURSE-Susewind Honoxono STAKES-Blus Bonnet. The KEECHONG CUP -Arabic. The GARRISON Cur-Starlight. CONSOLATION STAILES - Interest. CHAMPION STAKES-Zaphyv. NIL DESPERANDUM STARES-Kubla Khan.

AN UP RIVER REVERIE It was not much that Mr. Craft a ever said to ness account. Borths, but the grave and gently courtesy of _____ Thanks to the energies and vigilance of the his manner, some subtle quality of deference authorities, the old China year has ended with

auchored near a row of aquatic vegetation, they took in placing watchmen all over the city reads, rushes, etc. while the party went on shore and suburb , thereby off sotully preventing the to inspect any quaint spot heard of, any green usual destructive fires - Echo. bank that bolds out sufficement for the natura-

(Mr. Hough) 3 list. Bertha and Mr. Crafton wandered forth fall, one of the best known nights in the neigh-(Mr. Maclean) 0 bourhood of this part. Its fall is about 70 feet The BROKERS' Cup, presented; for all China manner born of the indescribable feeling which houses and inundated the country for miles

ing to the girl at once. look allusions, dirty children grovelling on the Chantaboon will show 20 miles.

began to whistle the old tu ie;

La donna é mobile qual piuma al vente. "Muta d'accento, e di pousier--more constant, it is the mon that are fickle"and my renders too must leave for a moment is now flourishing in this kingdom and, as money those young people atone.

0 his office; you must search for him although he upp Siam would then have a la ge und costly Cruickshank & Co.... is the central figure in it. A stern looking undertaking on her hands, which she could Dairy Furm Co. trance \$10; second pony to receive half of the message: "Crafton immediately to Fusan."

entrance \$5, with \$100 added; second pony to swimming in tears, she took up his card, and Williamese and carried.-Bungkok Times. with a sudden impulse of tenderness softly After somewhere in the neighbourhood of a The CHAMPION STARES, a forced entry for all laid it against her check-and then treasured dezen false starts, owing principally to the China ponies, winners at this meeting only; it carefully in her album. The here of this left weight for inches; entrance \$20; winners of last night by the Taku; people who are nutwo races, \$30; of three or more races, \$50, gracious and cynical whisper: "What a narrow escape he had. Bertha's friends however say: The NIL DESPERANDUM STAKES, for all besten | Oh! how ornel for her;" while she herself site "Behilt dich Gott | War zn solon gowesen,

Rehitt dieb Gott! en hat night sollen sein!

MADELEUS, IN Stophow Eche

better late than never; as it serves not only as a lesson to haters of the Christian faith, but it will bring them to a knowledge that such practions will not be left unpunished. Though M Frandin had much to do with the case till he left the port, we understand that the final settlement of the case is greatly due to the energies of M. Frandin. The Hapa states that since the introduction of

FOOCHOW

At last after a delay of over three years, the

long pending settlement of the rowdy attack

upon the Roman Catholic Missionagies and the

destruction of four of their churches at Fokoan,

has been satisfactorily settled. However, it is

Like most Gorman girls, Bartha Hilden has foreign nails into China over a thousand workparants in China; thus she often escaped the have never heard of any such distress amongst dulness and monotony of the outer world of fact the blacksmiths. On the contrary, we are told that exists at Foodbow, where one feels occa- upon enquiry that the trade is prospering. The report must have been circulated by those who sionally the emptiness of this arid existence. report must have been circulated by those who integradually funcy and fact coalesced in the hate foreign manufactured goods; for to place a shape of Mr. Crafton, a good-looking I. M. thousand men out of work, foreign nails must be Customs Assistant. Society in general observed entirely used for all purposes, and we do not see that there was a mulual admiration between that any such improvement has taken place in those two young people and it for once was right. any work at this port, either on foreign or Chi-

and respect that he paid her, made her think out any serious mishap, as was freely predicted non-winners allowed 5lbs.; weight for inches towed by Jujube, who after a furlong caught forward to another meeting at ball or dinand passed him. At the Rock Jujube was still forward to another meeting at ball or dinand passed him. At the Rock Jujube was still forward to another meeting at ball or dinand passed him. At the Rock Jujube was still ners, when she trid to look her best "for during the 12th morn especially among bank-leading, Mak Sipear being about a length behind, him." She dreamed of him, wove fancies about Mr. Peel's pair next, and Kwizefishu't fifth. On him. but more she knew not. She therefore, ers, who, we understood had much difficulty coming down the slope Kwiz fishn't, who was won lored whether a pearer sequeintance would in collecting their loans. However, they all much fancied, came up in good style and took dispol and change his sentimental liking to in- have managed to make a stand against the third place. On passing the Village Mak Sicoar difference or to sublime love: She had not long ruling hard pressed times. In regard to native third place. Un passing the vinage has shown in the place of the short (Major Hannay) 0 up the straight, resulting in a dead heat, Kwize- wanders at the foot of the hill; lying across Missry is fast spreading all over the country; by high and he want and other insects, but verdant fields like a silver ribbon on still our celestial friend believes that by birde, and by wasps and other insects, but It was elected to ria off the dead heat after green velvet. A great deal of pleasure peculiar the present year is worth hoping through the most effective destroyer has been found to away fairly easily, but Ardeat had rather a had the last race. Jujuha-tarted rather the favourite, to houseboat life consists in what is termed and that trade in general will be greatly revised. start. On passing the Judge's box for the first but an excellent race ensued, the result burging it," and this brings with it a sort of We sincerally hope that such will prove a subfraemasonry amongst the exeur-ionists, the very stantial fact and no mythand link our werst fe are thing which pleased Berth's most. In defiance that misfortune has got already too firm a hold into a buge funnel weeks them into an underof any rhoundtie or nonealgie future which her in the country, brought on undervisedly by ground chamber, a page they are off chally. elders prophesied for her, every evening she negligence and dishonest decling, will not be remeeting, 7lbs, extra; subscription griffics of came out on deck-towatch with Mr. Crafton the alised. Whatever may be the prospect of the this season, 1890.91, allowed 51bs; entrance fair night or chat could there for hours while present year, the one just ended was unques-35, with \$100 added; second pany to receive the waters were licking the sides of the boat tionably the worst yet recorded and thanks with refreshing sounds. The heats now were are due to the authorities for the wise step

BANGKOK.

It may interest people to know how . shares of the Bangkok Tramways Company are dis- that a total of not less than 62, 223 tons of subtributed. There are 976 owned by urlishmen. soil, rich in plant food, is brought to the surface 941 by Siamese, 630 by Danes, 500 by Swiss, 56 by the worms every year on each square-mile of by Americans, 50 by Italians, 20 by Garmans, the cultivable land, and that every particle of and 15 by Frenchmon. from the heavens about nine o'clock on Wednes- ty of the humble workers in the ground that the ly followed by Unicorn and Opposition in the completenversing in confiling tones-principally day evening last (4th inst.) and split into natives owe their subsistence. non was accompanied by sparks, and its disc.

> The same cyclone which swept over Moung devastated Langsooen, as from information just received we learn that the town has been visited was conscious of a shymass and awkwardness of by a terrific storm which destroyed a number of

The plans for the seven new lighthouses orgriffins of this season, 1890-91, allowed 51bs. i. other fellows in his case, namely presence of dered by His Majesty to be built along the West man't, which virtue prevented him from propos- coast-are new completed and some of the lamps have already arrived. The light will be pro-- Returned to the village at the foot of the hill duced by great central stationary barners illumthere was a deal of bastle amongst the Chinese | insting the whole horizon by reflectors, and that holiday makers, lazily stratched out boatmen, destined for Kedha is of very large dimensions

and coolies who send forth a volley of puns and and of superfor brilliamy. The light for ground, and in the mile of this crowd sat a The aunken steamer Koh-ai-Chang has been fortune telling son of tian, wearing large apec specessfully lifted from the seven fathom of troles, with that calm Buddha like serenity water where she settled after being run ashore; characteristic of his race. "Let us see what and now lies in only five fathous. The work On getting away Wild Mint took the lead Pate has in store for us, Miss Hilden, just for appears to have been carried out energetically, closely followed by Autocrat and Reciprocation fun." Of course, Borths with the buoyancy of and the owners of the vessel have received every After passing the box for the first time, it was her eighteen summers was ready for the fun assistance from the Naval Dock Yard authorities. evident that the race lay between Wild Mint, and she listened langhingly to the rigmarcle of Some difficulty has be a experienced in contend: Reciprocation, and Autograf, the first named rambling disconnected sentences read and tran- ing with the strong under-our ent which preshowing well for the winning blace. On assend. slated by her admirer off the paper which the vails at the point where the work is being caring the incline to the Rock Autocrat and Re- claircogant had to write in fault of Mr Crafton's riedon, but there exists every hope of floating the nearing the Village Authorat, caught and "was not very hard on her, she should have many . Apropos of "The battle of the ganges." which passed Wild Mint, Reciprocation coming "blessings.come to her through having had such has for some little time been mildly waged in on even terms with him. Passing the village. " venerable ancestors. She will be rich some Bangkok, it will be difficult for those acquainted Reciprocation took first place with Wild Mint "day, will have a severe illness when old, but with the technique of such matters, as they lose at his heads, Autocrat falling back into the "her grave is in a good situation! etc., and that agist in India; to understand how it can be third place. On coming into the straight there " she will not marry, the man she at present seriously contemplated to build a broader guare was still another change. Beciprocation in is in love with; for an old gentleman will in Sigm than that of the lines existing on both creased his lead, ultimately passing the judge's "procent it." Both stared at each other sides of her, viz., in Burma and the lalay box about three length a head. Autocrat embarrassed, they could not possibly say a Peninsula. When our railway system is starte

which entirely ruined the charming mord they having different gauges would be practically 12st; previous winners at this meeting, 71bs. Crafton's father would rise in agents against the stock running on the foreign lines and oxtra; entrance \$5, with \$100 added. One alliance; while he impulsively and somewhat the rolling stock of the foreign lines runjerkily asked: "Surely, Miss Hilden, you would ning on the Siamese lim, a general trannot care to be an old man's d. sling? and he shipment, of goods would needs have to take place and all this would to a very appreciable ortant, increase the price of all imports and exports conveyed by the railway. The bad No. replied Berths with swimming eyes. policy of such a measure has before now been experienced in India and therefore Siam should " women are and thus they separated for the day, adopt the metre gange and no other. Everything is plentiful, probably His Majesty's advisers Brown & Co., H. G. hose young people atone.

"How can's man be concealed?" says Con- hardly attach sufficient importance to the two thing Borneo........ fucius. Still he can almost conveal himself be- millions sterling required to build the Korat hind books and dispatches; yes, it is not at one line. But how will it be if we should have a Chinese Loan '84 C. coup d'eil that you fint the I. G. of Customs in few bad rice crops, or if other evils should spring Chinese Loan '86 E.

o office it is, heavy leathered mahogany farniture. neither sell nor otherwise realise without a Fenwick & Co., Geo., At the start Saltpatre led. Enchanter room from floor to ceiling; really if it were not An extraordinary meeting of the Bangkok Green Island Coment quickly pulled up on him and took the le.d. for the mirror which haugs over the discoloured Tramways Company, Limited, was held on the H. Brick & Coment. race for second place, the former winning it by a which he kept all the way, cantering up the man's lpice one should call that office almost 7th inst., when were present H.R.H. Kroin H. & C. Bakery straight rather an easy winner. The result was ugly. Near the window stands an oldfashioned Mun Samot, Phys Smut, the son of the late Hongkong & C. Gas. somewhat of a surprise. Time, 2 min. 125 sees. buresu that looks as if it might possibly contain Phys Prapa, and Mesers. Richelien. C. Sri Hongkong Electric. secrets of a sentimental nature, but never mind, Sararaks, Grassi, Dr. Gowan, Anderson, Chalem it gives no-sign if it contains anything of the Pinit, Thorne, Westennols (Secretary), Berla, The CIVIL SERVICE CUP, presented, for subscript more remarking times of the I. G. Said bureau is ___ de Richelieu, lichell, Roland, S. J. Smith, tion griffins of this season, 1890-91; weight for covered almost ad wasseam with a mixture of and Williameso, representing in all 2,799 votes. inches; previous winners, 7lbs. extra; peual- dispatches, and our of those he selects, smooths Commodore de Richelieu having been voted to ties accumulative ; entrance 35; second pony it out on the desk, and reads : "A young assistant the chair, said-Gentlemen, you all know, to receive balf the entrance money. One will, is immediately wanted in Korea as the actual one presume, for what purpose this meeting has The Challenge Cur, value 100 guineas, for is inespecitated for office through an accident!" been called, and therefore I need only say a few China ponies; to be wen two years cone cu- "Humph," mused he, "I have to send some one words to explain why we have decided to take tively by a pony or ponies the bond fide pro- at once by telegram," and suiting the action to the measure which is stated in the notice calling perty of the same owner; weight for inches; the word he took up that yellow book, the us together. The late accident was at first entrance (forced \$5, but optional to subscript service list. "Let me see! here is Mr. considered a small thing, and although we tion griffins of this season, 1890-91; first pony Fairweather nearer Kores than anybody regretted it, we never imagined we should to receive 70 per cent.; second. 20 per cent.; else;—but no, he will not suit the present have to pay such heavy damages and were and third, 10 per cent, of outrance money. Commissioner there; so, how would Dixon do? naturally surprised when a judgme... is given No, he is also out of the question, for Kores will for ten thousand tical. As we consider we The Navi Cur, presented by officers of H M. not suit his already morose nature; now for that receive no advantage from being an English Fleet, for all China poules; weight for young Crafton at Foothow, he is the very man! companyand under English laws, and as we receive inches; previous winners at this meeting of adapted to most ports, besides he has had rather no assistance from the British authorities, it one race; 5lbs. extra; of two races; 7lbs. In lively season there, solitude will do him good will be infinitely better to place the company extra, and of three or more r ces, 10 by extra; for a change!" and so the telegraph wire under Siamese jurisdiction. Wa have been bad non-starters at this meeting excluded; on vibrated between Peking and this with the ly dealt with in the late action. It is quite a diferont thing, a tramway in Europe and one here, When Bertha Hilden said good night to Mr. There they have fine roads and policemen to To day we commence the publication of a new erial tale. The name of the gifted authoress—from this point past the Village and into the weight for inches; all ponies not sub-by wire and the audden ture of affairs he tramway when mounting steep bridges is dancant red slowly in. Maclean, seeing this fault. Honorous STARES, a forced entry of \$5 for shock up Susewind and nearly succeeded in all subscription griffins of the season 1893-91; his preparations hawas instinctively arranging but not to any man in his senses. If a man first pony to receive 70 par cent of the en his plans for both attack and defence on the stands with his back to the horses when a car is trance money and \$200 added; second pony subject of love for Bertha. He at once sat going up a steep incline and slings his leg about, 20 per cent; third 10 per cent; weight for energetically on his trunk and mused with his he is liable to get it injured. We have difficult re-

inches; winner of German Cup 10lhs. extra: aller ego: "Now listen, I have as second as sponsibilities and risks in carrying on our busine is name to get this distance to get t take to my bosom for woe or weak a wife; now, if we receive no assistance from the British winners of one race at this meeting, 71bs. The Kungenong Cur, presented; for China aller ego, what have you got to say for your authorities. We have hitherto always had to ponies; second pony to receive \$50; weight self as regards Bertha P'-and the alter eio apply to the Siamese authorities when we wanted for inches; sotrance \$10; from the Black Rock had nothing to say! So in this distinct frame assistance, and from them we have had much of mind he went and made p. p. c. calls on belp therefore your Dicectura propose to place Ficanaship Coys.— The GARRISON CUP, presented by the officers the ladies and when he came to Bertha he the Company under the protection of the of the garrison; for China ponies, bond fide simply said. "The old gentleman my chief wants Siamese laws. That is why we have called this griffing at date of entry; weight for in hes; my service elsewhere Miss Hillen, and I have meeting, so if anyone has anything to say they had better say it now and we can then put the previous winners at this meeting, 100, extra; come to say good over penalties accumulative; entrance \$10; subscription griffing of this season, 1890-91, allowed brought Bertha to a standstill: it was wonderful some ten minutes, as no one had anything to 5lbs. From two mile post once round and in. how the valiant little girl struggled to be gay remark, the Chairman said-1 now put to the The Consolation Stakes; for all besten China and said her "adieux" while he left like a vote the resolution which has been road to you ponies at this meeting; weight for inches; man. When the door closed, Bertha's eyes were by the Scoretary. This was seconded by Mr.

> Small-pox has practically disappeared from the British Isles, only one death hazing been This year's New Malwa \$490 3 to 4 cat'es registered from this disease in England and Last year's New Malwa \$500 2 to 4 Wales for the three months ending with Sept m. Old Malwa 3516 St Refersburg, 18 in Paris, 11 in Vienna, 10 in Patie (Old) 3182) Bungangla, 7 in Turin, 8 in Trair in and a large "tanaras : New" 8155 pumber in Medel

SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY.

Dismond-mining in South Africa has revealed the existence in the earth's crust of circular of elliptical chimneys, from 3) to 500 yards in diameter and of considerably greater depth. M. Daubree believes that those were produced by gases at high pressure, and he has imitated The great resemblance of twins is not confined

to personal appearance, but extends to mental characteristics, and even to daily experiences. The biography of one of a pair is very likely to | Barometer 9 A.M. (30.19 Pherm. 9 A.M. (Wet bath) 51 read much like that of the other. In his offerts Barometer 1 P.M. .. 30.18 Therm. 1 P.M. (Wet halb) 50 to trace the respective parts played by nature and Barometer & P.M. Thorm. 4 P.M. (Wet bulb) by education in heredity. Mr. Francis Galton Thermom. 9 A.M. Therm. Meximum from childhood for her own amagement and she mails have discontinued their trade, and this aslived much in an inner world of fancy which was a great comfort to her, as she resided with her parents in Ching, they should also should be an inner world of fancy which was not a should be serviced about \$1 answers, with 35 acts and has received about \$1 answers, with \$1 answer cases. "They on the same occasion," he says, " make the same remarks, begin singing the rame song at the same moment, and so on; or one would commence a centence, and the other would finish it. An observant friend graphically described to me the effect produced on her by two such twins whom she had met casually. Sho said: Their teeth grew slike, they spoke alike, and together, and said the same things, and seemed just like one person ' One of the meat enrious amendates that I have received commercial ing this similarity of ideas was that one twin, A, who happened to be at a town in Scotland, bought a set he champagne-glasses which caught his attention as a surprise for his brother, B. while at the same time B, being in England, bought a similar set precisely the same pattern as a surprise for A. Other a readotes of a like kind have reached me about these twins.

electric light. The moths a sattracted by the light, and a strong exhaust ourrent of air drawn in 1853 is said to have been religied by a great storm, which drove the moths to sas, from which | Sape S. James . | . | - | xx | 6 | b they were afterward thrown up as a hage bank

Mr. Alvan Millson, the Assistant Colonial Secretary of Lugos, traces to earthwar as the astonishing rapidity with which land recovers from exhausting onlivation in the Yoraba country. West Africa. In the dry season the worm casts may be seen closely picked over scores of square miles. A caraful estimate shows the earth to the death of two feet is brought to A beautiful luminous meteor was seen to fall the surface once in 27 years. It is to this activi-

Irrogalarities in the running of a large clock in the dock yard at Chatham have hen traced to vibrations from the incorsent hammering on the iron vessels being built. So great hampon some works are also some to have was the effect that it became necessary to remove joined by a cook pheasant—a wild-bred one, as the clock to another part of the yard.

> A naturalist claims to have discovered only fresh-water sharks known in Lake Nicaragua and the river approach to it.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. FRIDAY, 2 TH FEBRUARY,

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HONGKONG REGISTER. Previous On date On date day 4 p.m. at 10 a.m. at 1 p.m. **30.25** Baremeter in l'emperature

Highest open air temperature on the 19th W. DOBERCK. Hongkong Observatory, February 20th, 1891.

A correspondent says that he can vouch for the following :- Some years ago a lady living in the East, Riding of Yorkshire, when walking in the fields near the house, was none were reared on the place then - which accompanied her in her walk and only left when she went near the house to go in. This went on regularly for some months, the bird becoming so tame that he would take held of the lady's skirt and walk with it in his back. The pheasant would always come out of the plantation when the lady was alone, but when accompanied by any one else he would stand at a distance and onew, plainly showing that he remember it har and would have nothing to say to

any one else. A correspondent at Slingeby, York, writes to the Leads Mercury :- "The story told by the Medical Press respecting the power of a monkey for assimilating medicine reminds me of an event which came under my own experience when a child. I was with my mother on board a Cunard liner, bound for New York, and we had with us a pet, and very mischievous, monkey. One Sunday forencen we went to service in the salcon, leaving Jacko chained up with a short scope of chain in our cabin. No sooner had we closed the door than Jacko slipped his, cable, and for the next two hours had a very good time indeed -all to himself! When we came back we found everything as it shouldn't be, and Jacke glorious. He had exten half a tin of mixed bisonits, three or four small jars of tamarinds, tore up several laced handkerchiefs, drank two large betties of ean-de-Cologne, and fluished up by uncorking and emplying into his capacious pouch some. eighty or a bundred small bottles of globules which formed part of my mother's homopathic travelling chest! Everyone expected him to die; but whether it was due to the tamarinds or the ean-de-Cologne or his own native hardibood. Jacko wasn't a ha'porth the worse. After this I can believe much of his tribe's internal capacity." It is almost lamentable that this venturesome monkey did not exhibit any signs of rapentanca.

THROUGH ST. MARTIN'S WINDOW.

Alexis St. Martin was a Canadian trapper. Muny years ago, while out hunting, he received a gunshot wound in his abdomen. This finally healed in such a strange way as to leave an opening into the stomach, with a thin skin over it almost as clear as a pane of glass, Norting so remarkable had ever happened before. Through this window, by the aid of a strong light thrown into it, the doctors could see what went on inside his stemach. So the poor trapper's bad lack proved to be good luck for the rest of man-Now let us see how we can avail ourselves of

the knowledge thus obtained. There is a postmen by the name of Frederick Green, who lives at 33, Martin's Road, Shortlands, Kent. Speaking of an occasion about two years ago; he lately said: " I couldn't est mest without experiencing great pain." What ailed Mr. Green ! When the doctors looked into St. Martin's stomach just after be had eaten a meal, they observed that a liquid of a light yellow colour was thrown in great quantities from the lining of the stomach in among the fund. Then they noticed that the whole mass began to turn round and round as milk does in a revolving chura. When this process was over, in an hour or two, there was nothing to be seen except a gray fluid which looked like broth or soup. The dootors also took note of the fact that when St. Martin ate much the stomach required a longer time and seemed to labour to turn it into the broth-like fluid. Then again there were times when the light yellow liquid hardly came forth at all, the stomach moved, or churued, slowly, and the feed lay in St. Martin's body until it became ramoid. putrid and sour. At such times he complained of feeling ill and sick and suffering much pain. If not soon relieved his skin turned a copperish hue, a nauseating acid arose into his mouth; his head ached and grew bot, he had sharp pains in different parts of his body, the kidney secretion was thick and high coloured, be slept badly, couldn't work, and was low spirited, restless, and mneasy. What he suffered from was indigention, which, long enough continued, becomes chronic dyspepsis and nervous prostration. Now let us see how it fared with our friend Mr. Green, the postman. He goes on to say: "When I drew my breath it was like a knife running through my chest. My appetite was bad, and I fell away to nothing. As I have to walk twenty miles, a day in the discharge of my duties. I found the work in my weak state was killing me by inches. Before I was taken ill I was a strong, healthy man, and did my work with ease and pleasure. Finally I had to go on the sick list, and was attended by a physician

"One day my wife said to me: Frederick, my mother used to soffer the way you do, and she always found relief by taking Mother Seigel's Curative Syrap. Why don't you try it? After some persuasion I gave up doctoring and got a bottle of Seigel's and began. The first few doses made me feel better. I stuck to Mother Sei, el's Carative Syrup, and in a few weeks got strong and went back to my work. I have never ailed anything -ince, and for my recovery I have to thank God and Mother, Segela, Curative Syrup."

for a fortnight, but I felt uone the better.

There was a load on my chest, and when I ate

anything the food lay on-my stomach like a ton

Mr. Green has been poetmen in the Shortlands district for fifteen years, and bears-an excellent character. If there had been a window in his stomach, his physician and friends might have observed the senie trouble that ugoasi nolly enpeared in the ones of Rt. Martin.

Brit. str. ... H. L. Allen

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INTIMATIONS
THE TRUST AND LOAN COMPANY OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE
STRAITS, LIMITED.
OTICE is hereby given, That at a GENERAL MEETING of SHARE-
HOLDERS held in London on 12th Fennu-
of the Company by £1,000,000 Stg., in 100,000 Shares of £10 each to be issued at a premium of
Sharoholders whose names appear on the
Register on the 9th March, 1891, will be entitled

to apply for and receive One New Share for every Original Share held. Applications for some must be sent in to this Office on or before 23rd March, 1891. £1.58, per Share only will be called up at present, plus the premium of £1.5s. per Share HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL BANK payable thus:

10/0 on application (including 5/0 promium). The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-PANY will-be ChOSED from 10th to 19th

MARCH, 1891, both days inclusive. At the above-named General Meeting of Shareholders a Resolution was passed changing the name of the Company to

" The Bank of China, Japan, and the Straits, Limited." and cancelling Articles 56 and 59 of the Mem orandum of Association. These alterations require to be confirmed at a Meeting of Shareholders to be held in London

on 2nd March next. DE WESTLEY LAYTON, Secretary. Hongkong, 14th February, 1891. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the OFFICER of the COMPANY, No. 14 PRATA CENTRAL on MONDAY, the 23rd FERRUARY, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Re-port of the Directors and Statement of Ac-Counts to 31st December, 1890.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-PANY will be CLOSED from the 9th to the 23rd inst., both days inchesive.

By order of the Board of Directors, D. GILLIES. Secretary. Hongkoug, 2nd February, 1891. JAPAN BREWERY COMPANY,

NOTICE is hereby given. That the AN-NUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLD-ERS in the above Company will be held at No 7, WATER STREET, YOKOHAMA, at 3.30 P.M. on WEDNESDAY.

the 25th day of FEBRUARY, 1891. for the purpose of receiving and adopting the Directors' Report and Accounts, electing Directors and Auditors, and transacting the Ordinary Business of the Company, and to consider and if deemed expedient to pass the following Resolutions: -

1 .- To aid to Article 116 of the Articles of Association of the Japan Brewery Co., Ld :-They may, however, at the end of the first "six months' working in any year de- No. 4, PRAYA CENTRAL: "clare and pay without such sanction "en interim dividend not exceeding 5 "percent if they consider the business of the Company to justify their so 2.—That Article 118 to altered to read as

" any dividend, set aside out of the profits

By Order of the Board. WILSON WALKER, THE SONGEI KOYAH PLANTING COMPANY. LIMITED.

THE SECOND ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS | the Board will pass the necessary Resolutions in the above COMPANY will be held at the OFFICE for the Forfeiture of the said Suaris. of the General Managers, 6, ICH-HOUSE LANE, on FRIDAY, 27th, FEBRUARY, 1891, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Consulting Committee, with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 30th November, The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-PANY will be CLOSED from the 13th to the

27th inst, both days inclusive? -GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co., General Managera. Hougkong, 11th February, 1891. THE SONGEL KOYAH PLANTING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, That in pursuance of a Requisition duly made in writing under Article 8 of the Company's Articles of Association upon the undersigned General Munagers, the undersigned do hereby convene an | Chung Ngoi San Po (Chinese Deily Newspaper EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEET- published at the "Hougkong Daily Press'

ING of SHAREHOLDER at the Offices Office). of the Company, No. 6, ICE-HOUSE LANE, for FEIDAY, the 27th FEBRUARY, 1891, at 0.15 P.K., when the following Resolution will be anbmitted, yin:-"That the Company be wound up volun-" tarily under the provisions of the Com-

"pointed Liquidators for the purposes of this date. such winding up. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 18th February, 1891.

THE LAMAG PLANTING COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, That an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the LAUAG PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the OFFICES of Messrs. Gibe, Livingston & Co., No. 6, ICE- THEONICLE AND DIRECTORS HOUSE LAHE, on FRIDAY, the 27th day of FEBRUARY at 12.25 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of passing the following Resolution, that is to say :-"That the Company be wound up volum-

"tarily under the provisions of the Com-" panies Ordinances 1865-1890, and that O. S. "kong, be, and they are hereby, appointed "Liquidators for the purpose of such wind-

Dated 18th February, 1891. GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong. 18th February, 1891. THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING

COMPANY, LIMITED:

YOTICE is hereby given, That an EX-TRAORDINARY GENERAL MEET-ING of THE EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the OFFICES of Messrs. Gibe, Livingston & Co., Hongkone..... Messrs. A. S. Watson & Co. No. 6. ICE-HOUSE LANE, OR FRIDAY, the 27th day of FEBRUARY; at 12 35 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of passing the following Resolution, that is to say :-

That the Company be Would Up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Shanghai ... Mesers Kelly & Walsh Ordinances, 1865-1890, and that C. S. Sharp and L. Hallward, both of Hongkong, be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purposes of such Winding Up. Dated Hongkong, 11th February, 1891. -By Order of the Beard. CHAS. F. HARTON.

Hongkong, 12th February, 1891. THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE TWENTY-SECOND ORDINARY SYDNEY Messrs. Gordon & Gotch the Company will be held at the Company's Brishan's ... Messra, Gordon's Cotch— OFFICE, No. 2. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, VIC- LONDON Mr. F. Algar, Clement's Lafe TORIA, on FRIDAY, the 27th FEBRUARY, LONDON Mesers. John Haddon & Co. at Half past Two o'clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Ac- LONDON Messrs. Street & Co., 30 Cornhill counts and the Report of the Directors for the LONDON Messre. Bates, Hendy & Co. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com- PARIS Mr L.H.Richy,66, Rue Lafayette PANY will be CLOSED from the 14th to the GERMANY Mesers. Mahlar & Waldsschmid, 27th inst, both days inclusive...

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE.

By Order.

INTLMATIONS EN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY LIMITED. NTOTICE is hereby given. That the O

DINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHARRHOLDERS will take place at the OFFICES of the Undersigned on FRIDAY, the 27th day of FERRUARY, 1891, at 4 o'clock, to receive the Report and Statement of the Ac counts of the Company to the 31st of December

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPANY will by CLOSED from the 14th to the 27th day of February, both days inclusive. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 14th February, 1891. ING CORPORATION. DINARY YEARLY MEETING of

the SHAREHOLDERS in this Componarion will be but at the CITY HALL, HONGKONG, on SATURDAY, the 28th day of FEBRUARY current, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors. together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st Decumber, 1890

By Order of the Court of Directors. F. DE BOVIS. Acting Chief Manager. longkong, 6th February, 1891. HONGKONG AND SHANGHA! BANK ING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given. That the BE-PURATION WILL be CLOSED from SATUR. DAY, the 14th, to SATURDAY, Line 28th day of FEBRUARY current (both days inclusive) luring which period no Transfer of Shares can be Registered. By Order of the Court of Directors,

F. DE BOVIS. Adling Chief Manager. Hongkong, 6th February, 1891.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TWENTY-SECOND ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF STARE-HOLDERS in the above COMPANY will be held at the Offices of the Company, Pedder's Captain Hogg, will be despatched as above TO-STREET, on SATURD. the 7th proxime. at Noon, to receive a Statement of Accounts. to the 31st December, 1890, the Report of the General Managers, and to clool a Consulting The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Con PANY will be CLOSED from the 2 let instant

to the 7th proxime, both days inclusive. - JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited Hongkong, 14th Feb uary, 1891. THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON

WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

HE Undersigned is prepared to purchase I FRACTIONAL CERTIFICATES at ourrent market rates. Persons holding some are requested to apply at the Company's Office, EDWARD OSBORNE.

Secretary. Hongkong, 3rd December, 1890, THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED.

"The Directors may, before recommending | TOTICE is hereby given to HOLDERS of NIARES in the above COMPANY, on "of the Company such sum as they think | which the SECOND CALL of (32) Two Dollars proper for Depreciation and Reserve." | per Share due lat. December, 1890. is still Un. R. Nelson, Commander, will be despatched Dated at Yokohama this 7th day of February, paid, that unless the Said Call, with Interest at above on MON DAY, the 23rd inst., at 3 P.M. the rate of 12 per cent, per aunum from the due | The attention of Passengers is directed to the date, be paid on or before the 28th day of FE. Superior Accommodation offered by DRUARY, 1891, at the COMP: NY'S OFFICES, 6, Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabins are Icu-House-Lane, the Shares in respect of situated forward of the Engines. Second which such Call remains uppaid on the afore. Class Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A said date will be liable to be FORFEITED. Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply and under the Provisions of Article X. Sub. Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A section VIII of the Articles of Association, daly qualified Surgeon is carried.

> CHAS. F. HARTON, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 9th Esbrary, 1591

By Order of the Board of Directors.

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NOTICE: BURCHARD WILHELM WOLFF has this day been authorized to Sign our Firm by propuration F. NAUDIN & Co.

Hongkong, 1st February, 1891. NOTICE. TROM this date Mr. CHEU YU-TSUN

has been appointed General Manager of the Hongkong, 9th Fobruary, 1891.

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CHAPTER I. A LADY'S GIFT. One dull afternoon in the early winter, as Mr Francis Roche, a junior lieutenant in one of H.A.

infantry regiments, was proceeding leisurely, up Buckingham Palace Road after making a call i the neighbourhood, some one who was walking behind him deliberately touched his arm. Mr. Roche turned quickly round. .

" Pardon me," said the person who had laid his fingers on Mr. Roche's coatslesve, "but you are Mr. Roche, of the 107th regiment, are you not? "I am Mr. Roube of the 107th," answered

young Roche. "Then," said the person addressing him, who had now removed his fingers from Mr. Roohe's sleeve to his own side pocket; "I have a littleah-commission for you here," [and he tapped his side pocket) "a little commissio" from -well -a lady." And Mr. Roshe saw by the street

lamps that the man smiled. " A lady I" repeated Mr. Roche, interested. "Yes, a lady," reiterated the porson, though have been seen, " and if you will-well accompany me to-that establishment opposite-I will

good enough to give me a receipt?" the old clothes shop ?" said Mr. Roche, looki with surprise in the man's face. "It is not exactly an old clothes shop, sir." said the person, moving his thin form as if deprecatingly: "It is-well, a lady's wardrobe, nothing, nothing." and is kept by a most respectable and respected lady-in fact, by my wife, sir."

"Humph!" said Mr. Roche, for he did not like] the man's looks.

you will step across the road looking, with a tolerably fair opinion of his own | coats and shawls wave an audible sigh. .. he had heard older men boast and lie about round their love adventures, but he had withat a grain of prudence, and he did not therefore very rashly | ment's hesitation. accept the man's dubious invitation.

'I repeat, sir, I have a commission—a commission from a lady for you," answered the man: "It-it is for your advantage-if I may be Roche. allowed to say so. Young Roche hesitated for a moment, and

ing face. but if you go first I'll follow you; but if you are at home now."

Wollag for you. Fration Roche had dark, bright eyes, and he looked sharply at the man as he said this, and it must be admitted that glance was not reassur- sir." she said. ing. He saw a mean face, pale coloured, fusty again, and this time he laughed softly to himself name here." which one blow of Francis's young, strong fist after a few more words he left the shop

without much trouble to the sonder. thought Roche, remembering at that momens sage—say her generous kindness would be twice with some satisfaction sundry athletic featp as good if I might see her." ductor across Buckingham Palace Road, and us back once a year-th': "ay year I will hope to uncle about it?" a few steps which led from the foot pavement to see you again. the shops. Then on the doorway of a "lady't "You will see a co-morrow," answered

"This way, sir," he said, and Francis Rooks you have it ready for me." went after him into the shop or room beyond. erhaps, but which was now soiled and changed, screen of garments. and maybe its original owner might be too! But we will leave the inanimate relies of the "what you must have felt." past, which now met Mr. Francis Rocke's gaze

on every side, and turn to the animate. " My wife, sir," said his conductor, making a Twiss drew towards her. woman who was standing behind the counter, low tone of pain, and she put her hand to her think?" and who had once been handsome; had indeed a head. "Yet I am glad I have seen him-seen

good face still. old woman; older by ten or fifteen years than | Mrs. Twiss.

spoke the truth. But she had black, bright eyes, a clear pale Mr. Twiss harried out of the shop to obey skin, dark hair, almost unstroaked with grey, this order, and then Mrs. Twiss once more spoke and a firm, strong double chin. A good-looking to the lady. fell on Francis Roche's handsome young face. "Mr. Francis Roche?" she said in kindly

enough, "what do you want with me P" The woman smiled.

"I don't want anything with you, sir," she love will follow him." said, "except-I am glad to see you-but by husband," (and she looked affectionately at the speaky little man who had conducted Roche to the shop) " has a commission for you-a commismion from a lady." These were the very words the man had used.

and Roche gave a little laugh when he heard what is the nature of the commission?

Then the little man came forward wriggling "I-I-have it here," be said, tapping the sidepecket of his coat. "Shut the shop door, my she was then named) had married Mr. Thomas

continued, advancing so near Francis that the service, and Mr. Thomas Twiss was a lawyers young man drew a little back, "this is for you." clerk, and as a "promising investment" (obiefly) And he drew out an envelope from his side. Mr. Thomas Twiss had married Lorimor. She pooket and put it in the young man's hand.

a very thick envelope; in fact a parcela and oringed and wriggled more than ever. "Money, sir," he said, "good money -a great Lorinur married him for love, and loved him deal of money. Mr. Roche." from the counter and faced the man. Do you sup- one was looking a little pensive.

pose, thee, that I'd take money from any lady ?" What are you thinking of, Tommy ?" said the shop fell straight on his good-looking face, his lean shoulder. showing it very plainly to some one who was _ "It's a deal of money to give away," said watching him unseen. This was a beautiful. Tommy, with a contemplative air. woman; a woman who was kneeling behind a screen at the opposite side of the shop to the Rocke ?" said Mire, Twiss, inquiringly. counter. This screen was composed of the usual miscellaneous collection of a " lady's wardrobe," suspended on a strong cord across the shop. Yes, there, behind cloaks, petticoats and shawls, all more or less the worse for wear, knelt a woman-a lady dressed in velvet and rich fors-a fling. Tommy, this whim of my lady's." hady who looked as if she were unused to hide anywhere, and yet who nevertheless knelt in this "and I don't know why but it a kind of stuck mean place: knelt and listened with moistened to my fingers." eyes and a strange quiver on her lips as she

heard the words of the young soldier. The stout woman behind the counter nodded her head approvingly as she heard them also. "That's all very right, Mr. Roche," she said, "very right, and like a gentleman, but this isn't | quiry, He did not tell the partner of his life ordinary money. It is sent to you by a friend- that a temptation had resailed him when "my a relation in fact-and I am charged to see it de- lady" and Mrs. Twi- instructed him to give livered into your own hands."

meaky, man in an injured tone.

his lean hands together, apparently with satis- man. He had had this money in his hands, and highest reputation. faction. "My secret, and Mrs. Twiss's secret, he had not run away with it, therefore Tommy Transla Roche and talked to her as if he ha, ha, ha!" and he gave a eackling laught felt he was virtuens, and felt a little sad, per- had known her for years before the semestional that set your teath of de as you listened to it. haps, also that he had missed an opportunity.

gentlemen, and then we'll see his he bat" And any rate." he emitted his horrible laugh again. Young Rocke did open the envelope. He up sharply in his wife's face. opened it, and drew out a great roll of bank notes.

wriggling fearfully; in fact, twisting both his we must not talk about." body and face into all sorts of contortions. "Five bundred pounds!"-said young Roche,

slowly, and his mind went back at that moment to sundry bills lying upp sid in his barrack-room; to a horse which he had coveted, but had been too poor to buy; to a hundred things in fact, times in families pleasing to a young man's fancy.

fother's family—anyone I know?"

That's our secret," shricked Mr. Twiss, ap it's with you." parently almost in convelsions: "our secret, my secret and Mrs. Twiss's !"

handsome lad this, dark and comely, and was not with her tale to future emolument. used to have his requests refused by women, and | "But you will never breathe this, Tommyone thing I may tell you, there's nothing dis- she could do: a more unlikely emissary of Cupid could not money has a right to send it -it is her own money, at that moment how he could turn her informain fact, and nothing will please her so much as tion to the best advantage. the idea that you will enjoy it. You are young. " He's not to blame, at any rate," continued

"That establishment opposite! Do you mean "If I were sure there was nothing dishonour- mental calculations. "Ha, ha, ha !" sbricked 'r. Twiss, "I told you to look inside. Nothing, like money, sir; look which had occurred to him.

"It depends upon where it comes from," said —the tion. Arthur Curson listen- sensational piece they had witnessed came to an yards, 5a, 6d, each. Kitchen Table Cloths, 11id. Roobe. "But I repeat if this is all right-" "It is, indeed, Mr. Roohe," said Mrs. Twiss, envy, it must be admitted. Five hundred pounds

"Then you will tell the lady from me," con- he was thinking as his friend went on with his the bex Roche chanced to drop one of his gloves. the land," said the man, warming apparently tinued Roche, "that I am greatly obliged—that story, a happy man. If Mr. Francis Roche had Lady Ennismore saw it fall, and she stooped with his subject. "I won't name names-ladies I feel her kindness very much but that it would debts, Mr. Arthur (nrzon had more. If Francis down and picked it up and held it under her don't like all their secrets told—but ladies of add to that kindness immensely if I were per- Roche had expensive tastes, Arthur Curron had clock as she left the box on her husband's arm. title, sir-ladies very rich, sir-go there-and if mitted to see her-to thank personally the gener-likewise. They were in fact two good-looking They parted with the two young men at the ous friend who has given me so much."

worse than ever, "the cat and kittens, ha. ba, ha!" Mrs. Twiss moved uneasily behind the counter. "And you're o have it every year?" said Mr. "Oh! no, sir," she said. "But excuse an old Curzon almost with a groun. "Every yearthen perhaps he remembered his own good-look. woman, put your notes out of sight, for London's live handred a year?"

get me into any trouble-well, it will be the " Is that a hint?" said Roche, smiling. " Do the lady attached to the gift." on want me to go away, Mrs. Twiss ?" Mrs. Twiss smiled. "I want you to get your money safely home, sent it?"

"But I must have a receipt," said Mr. Twiss |Roche. looking hair and whiskers, small, yellow-green bastily. "I have it made out here, sir," and he "Any of your mother's family, do you think?" eyes, and a general expression of sneakingness laid a crumpled piece of paper with a stamp asked Curzon. which was not agreeable. Then the lad looked on it upon the counter, "Please just sign your " My mother," said Roobs frankly, " was a

could have sent a few yards across the road "Ask the lady," he, however, said again to indeed, he said to me one day I should never in-Mrs. Twiss before he quitted the " lady's ward- herit snything from them." "He can't do me much harm, at any rate." robe," " if she will see me ? Give her my mes-

of his own; and so with a half-smile on his plea- | "I will give your message, sir." said Mrs. sant face the young soldier followed his con- Twiss. "Good evening-do not forget to come "But I think. Curzon, I should consult my

moon to get the answer to my message-be sure. No. if I were you I'we ald just enjoy it have a Mrs. Twiss laughed, and then as the young In-pursuance of this advice the two young men It was a queer place in which he found him- soldier disappeared she left the counter, crossed dined together, ordering the most expensive dinself, among the east-off garments of the rich ! the shop, and lifting up part of the miscellaneous | nor they could order, and then they went together But not always of the rich. Here was a strange articles hanging on the cord at the other side of to one of the theatres, to see a famous piece assortment. A sealskin jacket, a ball dress the room, she went into the presence of the which at this time was making a sensation. which once had hung on fair white shoulders, lady who was kneeling there, hidden behind the It was a crowded house, and Roche and Cur-

. The lady rose from her knees at these words, hidden by the curtain.

and good looks. She was seventeen stone she called, putting her head through the screen I must go and speak to them. weight, she always said, and no on who looked of clothes, and speaking to her husband, who But before Curson could fulfil his intention | Sold at the BREWERY, YOKOHAMA, and al at her could have any reasonable loubt that she was still standing near the counter, "call my Lord Ennismore, who had recognised Curson, towns in Japan and at China Ports, Hongxono

woman of her age in fact, and honest withal, .. "You heard what he said, my lady?" she and her dark eyes had a soft look in them as they asked. "What answer shall I give him when he calls to-morrow?"

The lady sighed as she answered. " Tell him," she said, "that she who sent him "Yes," he answered, looking at her boldly this gift prays for him night and day-but I cannot see him-you must tell him I cannot see him-but wherever he goes-tell him this-my

> CHAPTER II. ME. THOMAS TWISS.

Five minutes later Mr. and Mrs. Twiss were standing together slone beside the counter of the lady's wardrobe. "My lady's" carriage (a plain dark green one, with a coronet painted on the panels), had come and gone, and in it " my "Who is the mysterious laly?" he said. "And lady" had left the shop; Mrs. Twiss escorting her to the carriage, for Mrs. Twiss had been lady's maid first to my lady's mother, and afterwards to my lady," herself in her unwedded days.

Then in a moment of weakness Lorimer (as dear" (this was to his wife). "Mr. Roche," he Twiss. Lorimer had saved money in her lady's was years older than her husband, but she was a land so on. "What is there is it?" said Roche, for it was good honest woman, and actually in love with Mr. Thomas Twiss. What she saw in him no The sneaky man rubbed his hands together, one could tell. He was ugly, poor, and not very fascinating; but the fact remained the same.

still. At this moment (five minutes after "my "Money !" repeated Mr. Roche, and he turned lady's " carriage had driven away), this beloved

As he said this the gaslight in the middle of Mrs. Twiss, laying her hand affectionately on "You mean the money my lady has given Mr.

> Tommy nodded his head. "A deal of money to go out of one's hands, as it were," he said again, and this time he sighed. "Well, she can afford it," answered Mrs. Twiss, cheerfully, "and it doesn't coat us suy-"I had it in my hands," said Tommy, sadly,

"Oh, Tommy, it wasn't yours!" said Mrs. Twics, in fend reproval: " It might have been," retorted Tommy. How, my dear !"

Tommy made no reply to this conjugal in this money to Mr. . icis Roche. tis in-"It is delivered into his own hands," said the structions had been to Mr. Rochs into the lady's wardrobe if he could, but if he couldn's "I know it is Tominy," answered the stout to give him the parcel of notes in the streetst She never tried to be witty, never tried to shine, woman. " y husband, sir," she continued, ad- Tommy's temptation had been to run away with. but in her society everyone was delighted with dressing Roche, "my husband, Mr. Twiss, and the notes -- you sway from the partner of his themselves and with her. "Bhe charins by I are charged with this commission. We pro- life with five hundred pounds in his pocket! making us believe that we are charming." a Kowloon. mised to deliver this money into your own hands, But Tommy had resisted the temptation-first satirios old gentleman once said of her. But and the only condition attached to the gift is ly, because he was straid he might be caught; in truth it was the great sympathy of her nature that you come here ones a year—come yourself if secondly, because Mrs. Twiss had saved more which made her so delightful a companion. To

cook, Tommy valued her accordingly.

"But how can you seet me" began "Well, I hope he'll make a good man of it,"

To he like his father for said Tommy, looking her some of his family history; that his was an "Hush, Tommy," answered Mrs. Twiss, almost "Five hundred pounds!" said Mr. Twiss, with a frightened look; "there are some things orphan; that his uncle, Colonel Rocks, of the "That we must not talk about ?" said Tommy, Five hundred pounds -fleth and blood could going up to his wife and patting his thin arm

lovingly round her substantial shoulders. "Have you any secrets from me, Martha! Ought you. to have any secrets po " Not of my own, Tommy," replied Mrs. Twiss tenderly: "But there are secrets som

ments She whispored a few words in his ear. Young Rocke now looked at the stout women and then told him a long story that she had no right to tell. Tommy listened with satisfaction.

this old woman smiled upon him like the rest.

never to a living coul?" said Mrs. Twiss anYou must not ask mo, air," she said, "but glously, after having done all the mischief that Lord Ennismore, still addressing Roche, "for honourable in it—the lady who sends you this "Never," said Tommy solemnly, considering more and myself leve the hills, and London is

and young people want many things-and you Mrs. Twits, speaking of Mr. Francis Roche, deliver my commission, for which—well, for the mustn't hurt the lady, air, by refusing her gift." and he seems a very fine young man."

Way Lady and the seems a very fine young man."

Young Roche was silent for a moment. Then "Very," again answered Tommy solemnly invitation.

confiding to a friend the wonderful piece of good Mr. Roche."

ed to Francis Roche's tale with some secret end and they all rose to leave the theatre. young men with very little money to spend.

"But what for?" said Mr. Roche. He was As young Roche said these words the lady Arthur Curson was the third son of a poor peer. Ennismore drove straight to their town house. only a young fellow this, straight, tall, and good- kneeling hidden behind the suspended petti- and Francis Roche had been brought up and educated by his quele. Colonel Roche, who was lighted when they arrived there, for they were attractions, as men mostly have at his age, and "What is that?" said Roobs, turning sharply not a rich man, and had told his nephew very in town on business alone, and but for a day or plainly when he went into the army that he two, and had very few servants with them. But "It's the cat," said Mrs. Twiss after a mo- would allow him one hundred a year until he got the library (Lady Ennismore's favourite room) his company, and that after this event occurred was prepared for them, and bere the husband and "It's the cat!" oried Mr. Twiss, wriggling he (Francis) must depend upon his own resources. Thus Francis Roobe had bad very little money "I thought it sounded like a sigh," said young to spend. He had managed to get along somebow, but he very often nearly got fast.

a queer place, and its dangerous carrying much "So the old woman said," answered Francis All right," he said. "It's a queer business, money about. You will be safer the sooner you Roche. "She said I had to go every year for a boy-the pride and darling of the house. They like sum, and that this was the only condition had been married many years before this child "Good heavens!" exclaimed Curson. . And been the one thing wanting to complete a very can you not think-can you not imagine who happy home.

"Not in the very least," truthfully answered

Frenchwoman, and died, poor thing, when I everything that wealth or love could procure, a as his eyes fell on the man's slight, poor figure. Francis Roche did sign his name, and then was born, and though my uncle has never told levely rosy boy lay sleeping in his cot. me so, I do not fancy her people were wealthy "Who can it be?" went on Chrzon, " Some

one must have falten in love with you. Boobe ?" Roche laughed. " Tis well it's a rich 'someone, then," he said

"Unwise," he said, "If you consult the old wardrobe" establishment the man he was fol- Roche, smiling. "I will call to-morrow after- boy you may bring trouble on you know not whom. fling with it-it mayn't really come again." zon sat in the stalls close to the side boxes. Pre. and the proud father's fond eyes could see no

"Oh! my lady," she said, addressing her, sently Curzon attracted Roche's attention to a faults in this darling sou. lady who was citting in one of these boxes balf and sat wearily down in a chair which Mrs. "Do you see that lady?" he said. "That is Lady Ennismore. My father always says she is guessing of the suspended sword, which hung mideleng movement of his lenn hand towards a "Yes, it was terrible," she said in a the handsomest woman he knows. What do you over the child's bright head!

Roche, of course, gave his opinion of Lady Ennismore's charms with the air of a con-For it was an honest face. But she was an "He is a fine handsome young man," said noiseur, though in truth he could not see the the sneaky little fory man who called her his "Yes," answered the lady, as if she were "Lord Enniamore is my god-father," conwife, and the snesky little man looked fifty at thinking. "But I must go sow. Will you fell tinued. Curson. "I wonder if he's in the the very least. But if he were small, slight and your husband to call the carriage. Lorimer?" box -there's a man behind the curtains, don't contemptible, the wife made up in size, broadth, "Yes, my lady," said Mrs. Twiss. "Tommy," you see. I did not know they were in town; at the National Excitation, 1890, and the 346;

came round from his box to speak to his godson. Samon, and generally throughout the East. "Why, Arthur Curzon, who ever expected to see you!" said a genial-looking man, laying his

band in friendly fash on on Curzon's shoulder. Curson looked round and rose. "I thought it was you, Lord Ennismore," he "To be sure," said Lord Equismore, warmly.

shaking Curzon's hand, "And what good luck brought you here, Arthur P" Lord Fanismore had a pleasant face. You recognised the man's hourst open character as once as you looked at it. He was good looking, though not quite handsome, for his nose was too short for absolute beauty; but his frank, clear blue eyes. with their long black lashes and brows, and his fresh clear skin and tall welldeveloped figure, were strong points in favour of his comeliness. And those who knew him best loved him best. He was, in fact, a man in a thousand -generous, honourable, sweet-tempered, and simple-hearted almost as a shild. He was about forty-five, his brown hair streaked here and there with grey, and he was the husband of

one of the most admired and popular women in "And Lady Ennismore ?" asked Curson, after he had explained to Lord Ennismore that he and his friend Roche had got leave for a week, and had run up to town to have a look at the theatres

"She is quite well," answered Lord Ennismore, in reply to Curson's inquiry about his wife. " She's up youder; you must come and speak to hor, Arthur. "Yes, I shall be delighted," said Curson.

"We're only up for a few days on some business," continued Lord Ennismore, "but Katherine wanted to see the last sensation, of course. Well, Mr. Roohe, and what do you Roche laughed, and gave his opinion; and a few minutes later the good-natured, genial

Ennismore was pressing Roche to come up with Curzon to his wife's, box. "Of course, come," he said. "You are s friend of Arthur Curzon's, and I've had the honour of knowing Master Arthur Curson since 66 1 1 I N E O T A S." his interesting babyhood. Yes, my boy," he went on, patting Curson's shoulder, "we're old

friends, aren't we P". "I've good reason to say so," answered Curson "Come along then," said Lord Ennismore, PINEOTAS DISINFECTING PC VDER, and the two young men followed him to Lady Ennismore's box. "Here is Arthur Curson and a friend of his, Mr. Roche," said Ennismore to his wife, as they antered the box. Lady Ennismore's face suddenly flushed and then grew pale. But in a moment she had re-

covered herself, and bowed courteously to Roche, and shook hands with Curson. Then after a few words Roche drew a chair, and sat down by Lady Ennismore's side. Lady | 353 Ennismore was famous for her charming manuer. you are in England—for a like sum. That is all than five hundred pounds; and; 'thirtly, because give others pleasure was a real pleasure to her, and herself forgetfulness, her tender noble he led a very easy life at the lady's wardrobe; and herself forgetfulness, her tender noble Your lady?" repeated Rocks, "but who is his wife spending hours daily in the ministering thoughts made her face seem beautiful. She to his creature comforts, and as she was a good was in fact considered a beauty, and yet her features were certainly not perfect. But she

Still, in spite of all these reasons Tommy now was a handsome woman, with a gracious, grace. 31

"Our secret," echood the sneaky man, rubbing | felt himself to be a virtuous, simperban injured | ful manhor, and she was a woman also of the | BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS. play came to an end. He found himself telling her a hundred things which he never would have said Mrs. Twiss, seeing that the money he had thought of telling any other woman to whom he for any length of time. Look inside," said Mr. Twise, still rubbing given to young Roche was still pressing on her had just been presented. Lady Enniseers his hands together. "Open the chvolope, young hasbaild's mind." He's a fine young tellow, at knew all about the lad's former life after that young fellow, with faults and fallings we may be sure, but still true at the core. He also told

> choloric old soldier this quole was. Then he India. told her where his regiment was stationed. "At Lynswood!" repeated Lady Ennismore. Paper. "That is not very far from Brackenford, then !" The names of Lynewood and Brackenford caught Lord Enmanore's cars. "You are talking of Brackenford, Katie?" times in families — "I he said. "Just tancy Arthur here and Mr. The sweetest of all sweet odours. The original and Roche are at Lynewcod! I've been telling Arthur only true Essence is ATKINSON'S. Beware of Imita-

"But, who sent it?" he said. "Any of my Twiss, laying his yellow cheek against his he must some over to Brackenford next week wife's it's safe, you know, with me-us safe as and try his hand with the black game-and Mr. Roobe, I shall be delighted if you will come also?

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"We go down again to-morrow," continued we only came up on business, and Lady Ennisjourney from Lynewood -some fifty miles or so." So it was sattled, for in her gracious smiling way Lady Ennishers seconded her husband's

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> wife sat talking very happily for nearly an hour. Then together, arm in arm, almost like two-

lovers, they went up the staircase to the nursary, which was on one of the upper storeys of They had three children, but the two girls were not with them. The one child who always | and permanent cure. accompanied them wherever they went was their had been born to them, and this little heir had

I wonder if the boy's asleep P " said Lord Ennismore, as they neared the nursery door. "Dear little fellow, I hope so," answered the

Then, very quietly, lest they should wakenthe child, they antered the nursery, where amid He was a beautiful obild. Golden-maired and blue-eyed, and be had inhe ited the frank and fearless expression of his father's face. The husband and wife atool side by side looking at him by the soft shided light in the nursery. while proud fond hopes for his future filled their hearts. For this little follow was heir mother's wealth. Quite unexpectedly Lady England. Trade Mark-"Broop Mixture." Enniamore had become rich by the sudden and melancholy death of her only brother. Thus Brackenford, her old home amid the Northumbrian hills, had become hers, and coal mines, and ironworks, which now brought her in a great income, as they had brought in a great income to her dead father, and to the hapless young brother

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